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Notifiable Disease Report

Communicable Disease Section

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Notifiable diseases reported for Kent County residents through end of month listed above.

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DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED		MEDIAN CUMULATIVE
	This Month	Cumulative 2012	Through August 2007-2011
AIDS (Cumulative Total - 902)	2	18	22
AMEBIASIS	1	4	2
CAMPYLOBACTER	14	55	40
CHICKEN POX ^a	0	11	62
CHLAMYDIA	344	2442	2207
CRYPTOSPORIDIOSIS	9	16	11
Shiga Toxin Producing E. Colib	0	4	N/A
GIARDIASIS	12	48	47
GONORRHEA	43	416	498
H. INFLUENZAE DISEASE, INV	1	5	2
HEPATITIS A	0	3	4
HEPATITIS B (Acute)	0	1	1
HEPATITIS C (Acute)	0	2	0
HEPATITIS C (Chronic/Unknown)	25	194	210
INFLUENZA-LIKE ILLNESS°	28	33900	34462
LEGIONELLOSIS	1	7	5
LYME DISEASE	0	1	4
MENINGITIS, ASEPTIC	7	20	20
MENINGITIS, BACTERIAL, OTHER	2	12	4
MENINGOCOCCAL DISEASE, INV	0	3	1
MUMPS	0	0	0
PERTUSSIS	5	10	7
SALMONELLOSIS	8	43	36
SHIGELLOSIS	1	11	8
STREP, GRP A, INV	0	18	11
STREP PNEUMO, INV	1	22	35
SYPHILIS (Primary & Secondary)	2	7	7
TUBERCULOSIS	1	11	14
WEST NILE VIRUS	17	17	0

NOTIFIABLE DISEASES OF LOW FREQUENCY

DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED Cumulative 2012	DISEASE	NUMBER REPORTED Cumulative 2012
Guillain-Barre Syndrome	5		
Malaria	3		
Q Fever Acute	1		
Creutzfeldt-Jakob Disease	1		

- a. Chickenpox cases are reported primarily from schools. Confirmed and probable cases are included.
- b. In November 2010, cases of E. coli O157:H7 were combined into the category "Shiga-toxin producing E. coli (STEC)"
- c. Includes "Influenza-Like Illness (ILI)" and lab-confirmed influenza. ILI cases have flu-like symtpoms and are reported primarily by schools.
- d. "Meningitis, Bacterial, Other" includes meningitis and bacteremia caused by bacteria OTHER THAN H. influenzae, N. meningitidis, or S. pneumoniae.

Except for Chickenpox & Influenza-Like Illness, only confirmed cases (as defined by National Surveillance Case Definitions: www.cdc.gov/epo/dphsi/casedef/case_definitions.htm) are included.

Reports are considered provisional and subject to updating when more specific information becomes available.